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1. This communication is responsive to <u>Amendment, filed 2/07/2005</u> .			
2. The allowed claim(s) is/are <u>1-6</u> .			
3. A The drawings filed on 28 October 2003 are accepted by the Examiner.			
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Claims 1-6 are allowed in light of amendments/arguments filed on February 7, 2005. All claims

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